IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Sébastien BARDON et al. Conf. 4642

Application No. 10/583,938 Group 1797

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BLOCK FOR FILTERING PARTICLES CONTAINED IN EXHAUST GASES OF AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents November 19, 2010 P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed July 19, 2010, for which the period for response has been extended one month and an RCE is filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.